

REMARKS

The Examiner has identified two separate species in the following Groups in the claimed invention as follows:

Species I, Figures 2-5; and

Species II, Figure 6

Applicant elects Species I, Figs. 2-5, as the species to be initially examined without traverse. Claim 6 is readable on elected Species I. Applicant has withdrawn Claims 7-9, which are readable on the unelected Species II.

Claims 1-5 and 10-19 are generic.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this response, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned. If an extension of time for this paper is required, petition for extension is herewith made.

Respectfully submitted



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